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MATSUI ET AL)
Application No.: 10/700,249) Group Art Unit: 1641
Filed: November 3, 2003) Examiner: Cheu, C.
For: ANTIBODIES FOR THE ALPHA PLATELET-DERIVED GROWTH FACTOR RECEPTOR) Confirmation No. 3780)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT <u>AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</u>

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please enter the following preliminary amendment and consider the Remarks that follow.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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